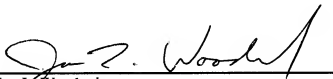


REMARKS and STATEMENT OF NO NEW MATTER

The amendments to the specification, claims and abstract are made to correct inherent translation-related problems with the language of the priority document. A version of the translation was filed as the original U. S. national phase application. No new matter has been added or is otherwise unsupported by the original application in the amendments contained herein.

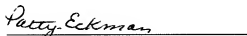


Jon L. Woodard
Reg. No. 45,515
MacDonald, Illig, Jones & Britton LLP
100 State Street, Suite 700
Erie, PA 16507-1459
(814) 870-7664

Certificate of Mailing

I hereby certify that this document is being filed via EFS-Web on the date shown below with the Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date: January 15, 2007


Patty Eckman